

## EXPECTS REVENUE LAW TO RAISE \$200,000,000

Senator Simmons Proud of Measure  
and Expects It to Place Burden  
on Those Able to Bear It.

That the new revenue law will prove satisfactory and that it will place the burden of taxation upon those most able to bear it was the opinion expressed by Senator Simmons, chairman of the Senate finance committee, last night. Senator Simmons, more than any other member of Congress, had to do with framing the measure, which came from conference with the majority of the important Senate amendments still retained in the bill.

While no detailed estimate has been submitted to me by the experts of the Treasury Department since the final passage of the bill, I have been informed that the new law will raise approximately \$200,000,000," said Senator Simmons.

Senator Simmons said that the measure as drafted by the House was a good measure, but that he thought it improved by the Senate, and that as it came from conference the measure was the best that could have been devised. He pointed out that all the stamp taxes had been eliminated and that the Senate tax on munitions, on corporations and the Senate increases in the inheritance and income taxes had been adopted by the conferees and are now in the law.

Months ago Senator Simmons made a prediction that the greater part of the revenue to be derived from the then proposed new revenue law would be derived from income, inheritance and munitions taxes. He also predicted that the stamp taxes in the old emergency revenue law would be eliminated. These predictions were eventually to become realities.

Senator Simmons expressed regret that it had not been possible in the Senate to add the Webb bill, permitting combinations of American exporters for aid in building up American foreign trade as an amendment to the revenue bill. He pointed out, however, that several senators had announced they would filibuster against this amendment, and that it was deemed better for Congress to adjourn now than to remain in session indefinitely.

Therefore the Webb bill had to be sacrificed for the time being. He said that he hoped to see the measure passed by the Senate at the next session of Congress.

Senator Simmons plans to leave here tomorrow for North Carolina.

## HUGE FIELD HOWITZERS TO HURL TON OF METAL

Army Ordnance Experts Working on  
Designs—Transportation Problem Offers Difficulty.

Army ordnance experts are at work on designs for huge field howitzers as large as or larger than the German 42-centimeter guns which wrecked Belgium and French forts early in the war. They will be at least sixteen-inch caliber, with a range of twelve to fifteen miles, hurling a projectile weighing more than a ton and carrying a large amount of high explosive.

In addition to placing several of these mammoth weapons along the coast line for mobile defense against naval attack, army officials are now considering the creation of a special regiment equipped with six howitzers, to work as a unit of the mobile army. The problem confronting the designers in that regard is to distribute the enormous weight of the gun and carriage in such a way that it can be moved over any good road.

Transportation by Rail.

That difficulty is a determining factor in the new designs, because along a few of the largest cities well ballasted roads which would support the weight of the huge guns can be found, but even such a highway as the post road from Boston to New York, it is said, has many sections so lightly built that the great weight would crush through.

For these reasons it is planned to build the new howitzers primarily for transportation by rail on special cars. The regiment would not be attached to any army corps, as is the case with lighter artillery, but would be directly under the orders of the general staff, to be sent to a point where it was desired to blast a way through an enemy's fieldworks.

It is believed possible that the weight of the artillery can be so distributed on several carriages drawn by motor tractors that it can be dragged over any fairly well ballasted highway.

## ARMY—NAVY.

### Army Orders.

Capt. Joseph O. Manborne, Infantry, detailed for service in the Signal Corps.

First Lieut. Harry L. Dale, Medical Corps, will proceed to the Letterman Hospital, San Francisco, for temporary duty.

First Lieut. Wiley E. Dawson, 26th Infantry, who reported to his command for duty at Fort McDowell, Cal., and will remain to his home.

Second Lieut. Adlai H. Gilkerson, 11th Infantry, attached to the aviation section of the Signal Corps as an aviation student and will proceed to San Diego, Cal., for duty.

Leave for one month granted Maj. William P. Stone, retired.

Capt. Fred R. Brown, 9th Infantry, detailed as assistant to the chief of the bureau of insular affairs, War Department.

First Lieut. Frederick H. Sparrenberger, Medical Reserve Corps, relieved at Fort Yellowstone, Wyo., and will proceed for temporary duty at Fort Greble, R. I.

Maj. John C. McArthur, Infantry, detailed for service in the Quartermaster Corps.

First Lieut. Francis B. Hutton, Jr., Medical Reserve Corps, ordered to active duty at West Point Military Academy.

HOSPITAL FUGITIVE CAUGHT.

Milton Blaney Returned to Government Institution for Insane.

Milton Blaney, twenty-eight years old, a fugitive from the Government Hospital for the Insane, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detective Grant and returned to the institution, where he was committed to the custody of the police.

The police recently threatened the life of a lieutenant detailed at the Navy Department.

Blaney returning to the hospital was said to have shouted that his captors were killing him, and made an effort to leap from the automobile. He did not succeed in getting out of the vehicle, however, and was turned over to the hospital authorities without giving any further trouble.

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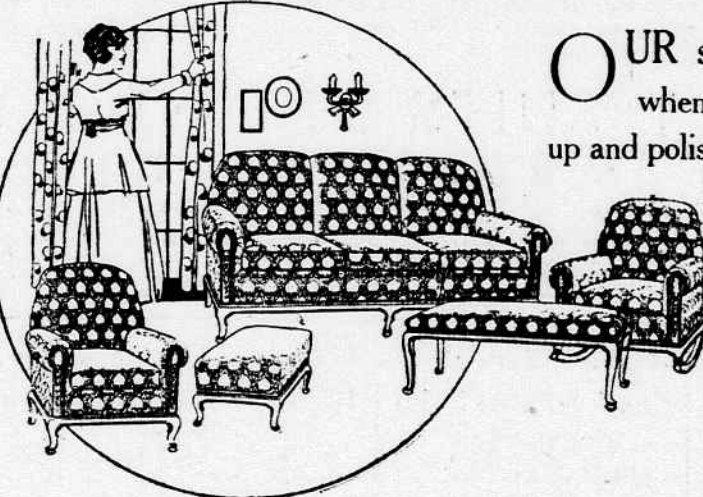
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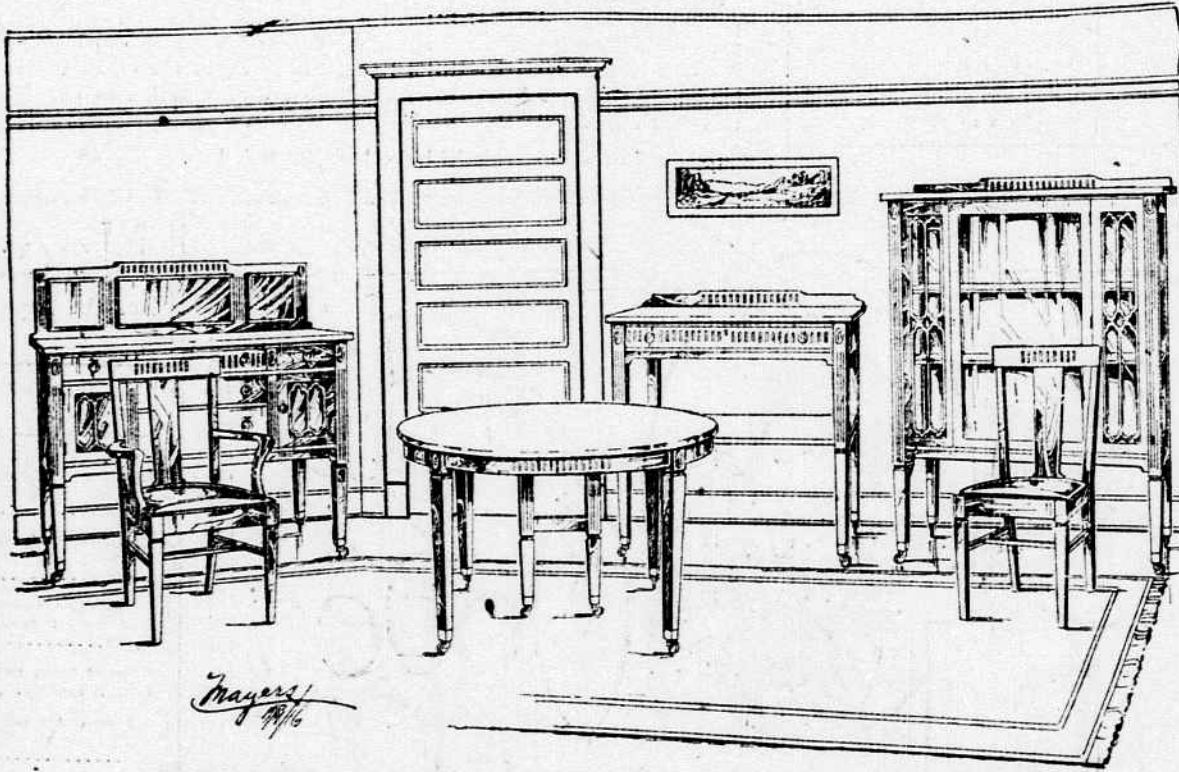
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Oak Dining Room Suite.....\$89.75

THIS Adam Style Suite is of solid oak, with the characteristic Adam trimmings and ornaments. Buffet is 54 inches wide and with roomy drawers and cupboards. Large Roomy China Closet and Serving Table that are perfect matches. The table has a 48-inch top and extends to 6 feet. With four Fine, Genuine Leather, Slip-seat Dining Chairs and Armchair to match, it makes a remarkable value.

CHOICE subjects, from  
the old masters, fine  
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79c

HARDWOOD, finished  
natural, Baby Gates,  
extend to 5 feet when open.

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ALCOHOL Stoves,  
with can solid alcohol.  
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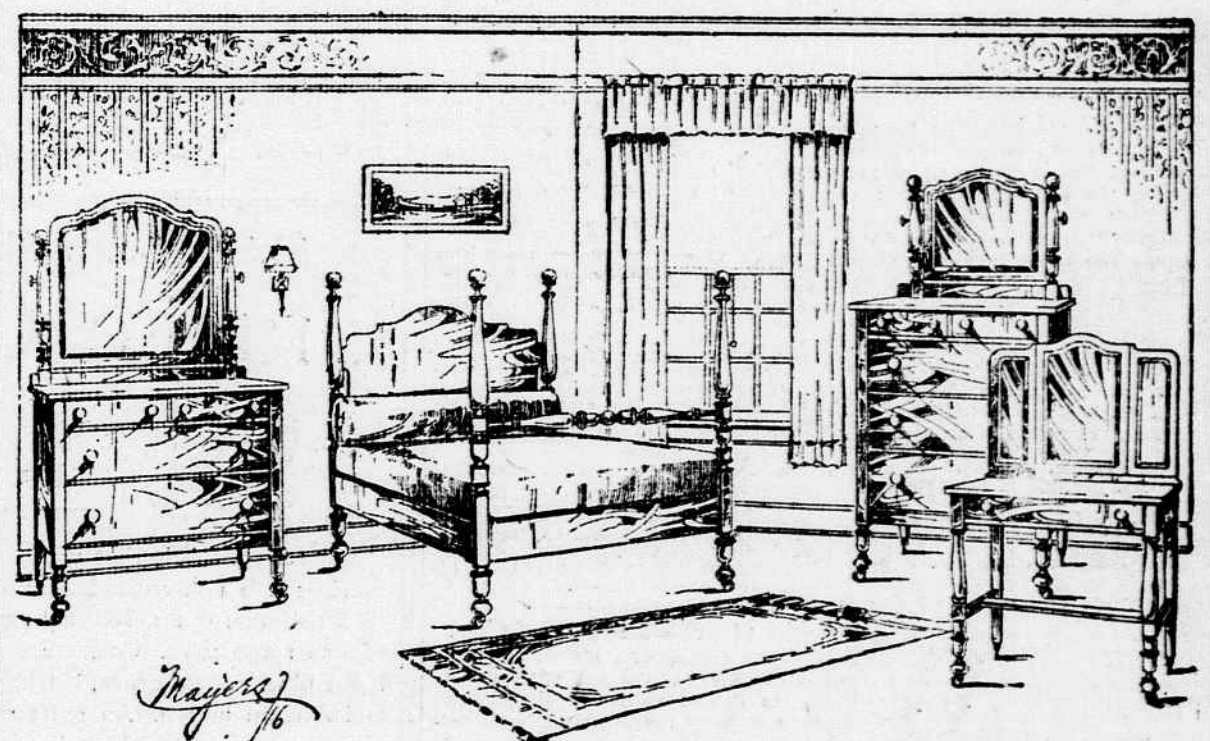
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MAHOGANY Frame  
Serving Trays, with  
glass bottoms, with cre-  
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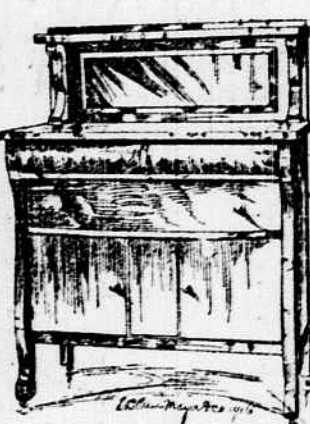
TWO Queen Laundry  
Bags, with nickel-plat-  
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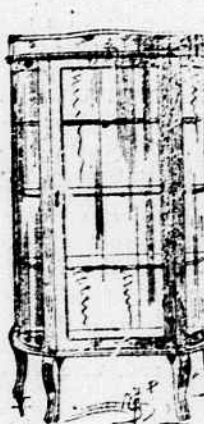
Poster Colonial Bedroom Suite, \$118.00  
in Genuine Mahogany.....

THIS wonderfully effective Period Suite follows the sturdy old colonial lines, and it faithfully follows the details and ornaments of the original. It is finely made throughout, finished with great care and from carefully selected imported mahogany. There are many small details, many points of construction that are excellent, that are lost in the drawing.



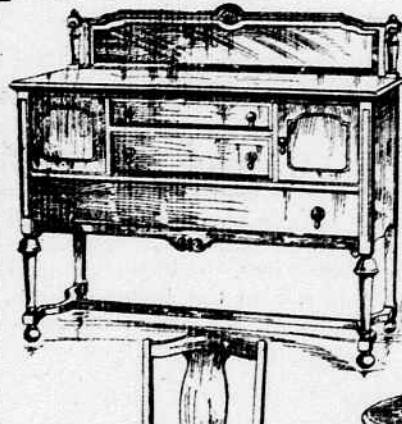
Colonial Style  
Quartered Oak  
Buffet, large  
mirror, good  
cabinet work.  
Worth  
\$32.75.

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Price,  
\$27.50



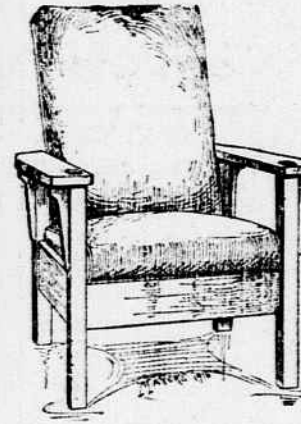
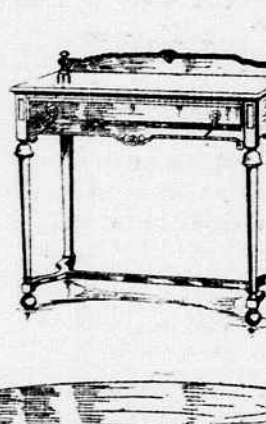
Golden  
Oak China  
Closet; 3  
shelves;  
bent glass  
ends.  
Worth  
\$18.75.

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Price,  
\$13.75



\$176 William and Mary Style  
Dining Room Suite.....\$145.00

FINEST quartered oak stock in Jacobean finish. Three chairs and one armchair; genuine brown Spanish leather. Solid quartered oak throughout and of excellent cabinet work. Characteristic William and Mary style ornamentation and a correct period style.



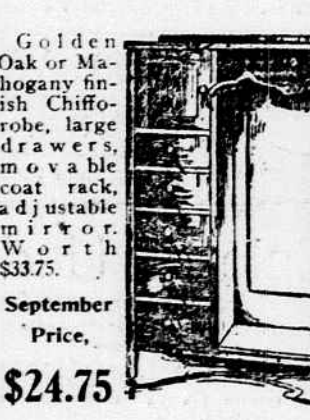
Solid Oak  
Morris  
Chair, fum-  
ed or gold-  
en finish;  
genuine  
leather bag  
cushions.  
Worth  
\$21.75.

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Price,  
\$15.75



Box Seat  
Bedroom  
Chair;  
quartered  
oak, ma-  
hogany fin-  
ish. Worth  
\$3.00.

September  
Price,  
\$1.95



Golden  
Oak or Ma-  
hogany fin-  
ish Chiffon-  
ier, large  
drawers;  
movable  
coat rack,  
adjustable  
mirror.  
Worth  
\$33.75.

September  
Price,  
\$24.75



Genuine  
Leather  
Seat Rock-  
ers; quar-  
tered oak  
or imita-  
tion ma-  
hogany.  
Worth  
\$12.75.

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Price,  
\$8.95



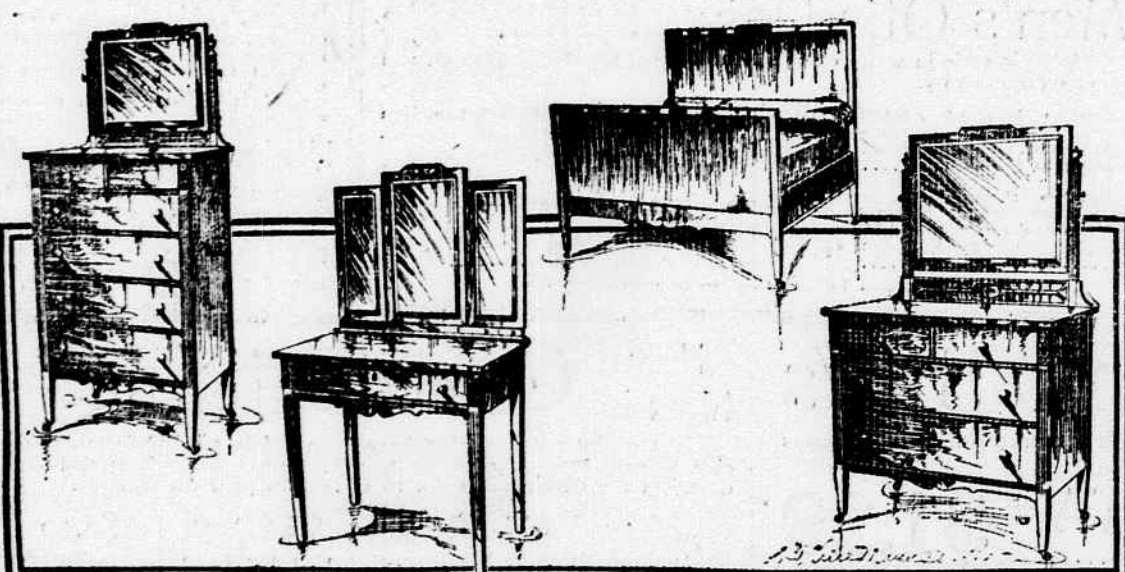
Mahogany  
Finish Rec-  
eption Chair;  
box seat,  
carved back.  
Worth \$14.00.

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Price,  
\$8.95



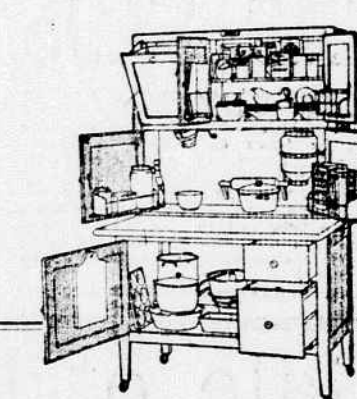
Golden Oak  
Genuine  
Leather Slip-  
Seat Dining  
Chair. Worth  
\$2.50.

September  
Price,  
\$1.95



Four-Piece Bedroom Suite, Genuine  
Mahogany or American Walnut.....\$115.00

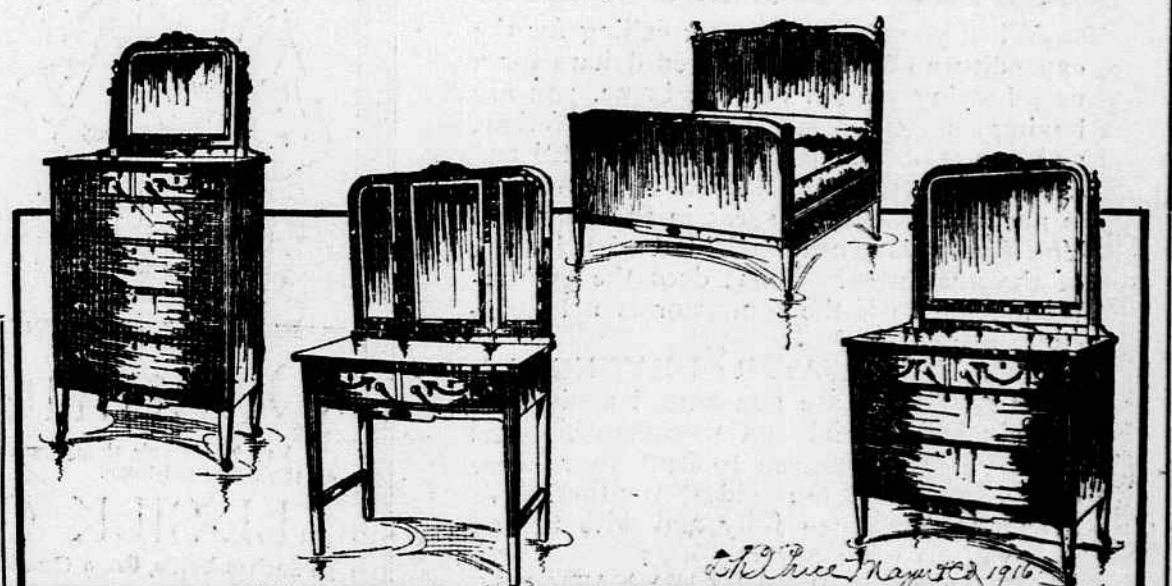
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